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SUPPLEMENTAL PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT and RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE CORRECTED APPLICATION PAPERS Address to: Box Patent Application Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231		Attorney Docket Confirmation No.	UCSF048CON Unknown
		First Named Inventor	German
		Application Number	09/811,323
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		Title	DELIVERY OF THERAPEUTIC GENE PRODUCTS BY INTESTINAL CELL EXPRESSION

Sir:

This is in response to the Notice to File Corrected Application Papers, dated May 23, 2001, which set a response date of July 23, 2001. Accordingly, this response is timely filed.

Prior to examination of the application on the merits, please enter the following amendments:

I. AMENDMENTS

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Please replace the paragraph beginning on page 1, line 3, with the following rewritten paragraph:

-- CROSS-REFERENCE

This application is a continuation of U.S. Application serial no. 09/254,988, filed June 11, 1999, which was a national stage filing under 35 U.S.C. § 371 of PCT Application No. PCT/US97/16523, filed September 18, 1997, which International Application was published by the International Bureau in English on March 26, 1998; and which is a continuation-in-part of U.S. Application serial no. 08/717,084, filed September 20, 1996, now U.S. Patent No. 6,225,290; which applications are hereby incorporated by reference herein and to which applications priority is claimed. --

IN THE ABSTRACT

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-- The present invention provides methods of delivering a secreted protein into the bloodstream of a mammal. A nucleic acid molecule encoding the protein is introduced into the gastrointestinal tract of